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In re Application of) Conf. No.: 8915
Glen A. Evans)
Serial No: 09/922,221) Group Art Unit: 1634
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Responsive to the Office Action mailed November 27, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the following remarks.

REMARKS

Claims 1-23 are presently pending and under examination.

Applicant thanks Examiner Chakrabarti for taking the time to meet with Applicants' representatives on May 1, 2003, and for the thoughtful discussion of the issues related to the application. A copy of the Interview Summary is attached hereto as Exhibit A.